IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS MARSHALL DIVISION

OPTIS WIRELESS TECHNOLOGY, LLC,	§		
ET AL.,	§		
	§		
v.	§	Case No. 2:19-cv-66- JRG	
	§		
APPLE, INC.	§		

MINUTES FOR PRETRIAL CONFERENCE HELD BEFORE U. S. DISTRICT JUDGE RODNEY GILSTRAP July 27, 2020

OPEN: 9:04 a.m. ADJOURN: 5:34 p.m.

ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFFS:	See attached.
ATTORNEYS FOR DEFENDANT:	See attached.
LAW CLERKS:	Taylor Mauze Adrienne Dellinger Taylor Fitzner Adam Ahnhut
COURT REPORTER:	Shelly Holmes, CSR-TCRR
COURTROOM DEPUTY:	Jan Lockhart

TIME	<u>MINUTES</u>
9:04 a.m.	Counsel announced ready for hearing

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	The Court gave the parties instructions for Jury Selection and Trial. Jury Selection
	will be held on Monday, August 3, 2020. Opening statements and evidence are
	scheduled to begin after Jury Selection. The Court and staff are in chambers each
	morning at 7:30 a.m. The trial will start each day at 8:30 a.m. Exhibits used the prior
	day will be read into the record prior to the jurors returning to the courtroom (usually
	around 8:15 a.m.). The Court allotted 13 hours per side to try the case (this time does
	not include the time for voir dire, opening statements and closing arguments); 40
	minutes a side for voir dire (of this time, a 3-minute, high level, overview of the case
	may be given); 30 minutes for opening statements and 45 minutes a side for closing
	arguments; 8-member jury to be selected (four strikes per side); procedures for
	disputes discussed. The Court allotted 3 hours per side for the bench trial. Court to
	be notified by 10:00 p.m. each night of disputes re demonstratives to be used the next
	day, or that there are no disputes. Binders with disputed information are to be
	prepared and submitted to the Court at 7:00 a.m. the following day. Deposition
	disputes are to be given to the Court the day before they are going to be used. Rule
	50(a) motions will be heard after ALL evidence is concluded. The informal charge
	conference will be held in chambers after Rule 50(a) motions are heard. A formal
	charge conference will follow afterward. The Court discussed policies and the
	Standing Order regarding the sealing of the courtroom. Juror questionnaires and the
	manner of use thereof were discussed, i.e., copies of the Juror Questionnaire may be
	obtained from the Deputy-in-Charge, Kecia Clendening. Juror notebooks are to be
	prepared by counsel and delivered to the Court by 3:00 p.m. on July 30, 2020. Each
	notebook should include the Patents-in-Suit, the Court's claim construction chart,
	tabbed witness pages (each witness page should contain a head and shoulders
	photograph of the witness followed by ruled lines on the remainder of the page), a 3-hole punched legal pad and a non-clicking pen. The Court also gave guidance
	regarding expert witness testimony. Exhibits will be pre-admitted. Only exhibits
	used during the trial will be considered as part of record. Witness lists are to be
	revised and filed by the parties within 24 hours as to May Call Witnesses and Will
	Call Witnesses. The Court set aside July 28, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. for an additional
	pretrial, if needed.
10:11 a.m.	Courtroom sealed. The Court heard argument on Defendant's Amended Motion
	for Summary Judgment on Patent Exhaustion of '154 and '774 Patents (Dkt. No.
	232) and Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment on Apple's Exhaustion/License
	Defense (Dkt. No. 161). Mr. Syrett argued on behalf of Defendant. Mr. Sheasby
	argued on behalf of Plaintiff. The Court DENIED both motions for the reasons set
	forth on the record.
10:51 a.m.	Courtroom unsealed. Recess.

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11:08 a.m.	Court reconvened.
11:11 a.m.	Courtroom sealed. The Court heard argument on the Sealed Patent Motion for
	Summary Judgment that Plaintiffs Did Not Breach Their FRAND Obligations filed
	by Plaintiffs (Dkt. No. 165); Sealed Patent Motion to Dismiss Count VIII for Lack of
	Subject Matter Jurisdiction Table of Contents filed by Apple Inc. (Dkt. No. 169); and
	Defendant's Motion to Strike Plaintiffs' Reply to Apple Inc.'s Defenses filed by
	Apple, Inc. (Dkt. No. 138). Mr. Sheasby argued for Plaintiff. Mr. Mueller argued
	for Defendant.
12:05 p.m.	Courtroom unsealed. Recess.
1:54 p.m.	Court reconvened. The Court ruled on the following motions in the manner and for
	the reasons set forth on the record at the hearing: Sealed Patent Motion for Summary
	Judgment that Plaintiffs Did Not Breach Their FRAND Obligations filed by Optis
	Cellular Technology, LLC, Optis Wireless Technology, LLC, PanOptis Patent
	Management, LLC, Unwired Planet International Limited, Unwired Planet, LLC.
	(Dkt. No. 165); Sealed Patent Motion to Dismiss Count VIII for Lack of Subject
	Matter Jurisdiction Table of Contents filed by Apple Inc. (Dkt. No. 169); and
	Defendant's Motion to Strike Plaintiffs' Reply to Apple Inc.'s Defenses filed by
	Apple (Dkt. No. 138).
2:12 p.m.	The Court heard argument on the Sealed Patent Motion for Summary Judgment of No
	Derivation for U.S. Patent Nos. 8,385,284 and 8,005,154 and no Obviousness for
	8,005,154 filed by Optis Cellular Technology, LLC, Optis Wireless Technology,
	LLC, PanOptis Patent Management, LLC, Unwired Planet International Limited,
	Unwired Planet, LLC (Dkt. No. 167) and the Sealed Patent Motion For Summary
	Judgment of Invalidity of Asserted Claims of U.S. Patent No. 8,019,332 Under 35
	U.S.C. § 101 filed by Apple Inc. (Dkt. No. 164). Mr. Sheasby and Ms. Zhong argued
	for Plaintiffs. Mr. Selwyn argued on behalf of Defendant. The Court ruled on the
	motion in the manner and for the reasons set forth on the record at the hearing.
3:07 p.m.	Recess.
3:45 p.m.	Court reconvened. The Court addressed the parties' progress on representative
	products. Messrs. Sheasby and Mueller spoke on behalf of the parties.
3:47 p.m.	Lead counsel for the parties are to meet and confer regarding representative
	products.
3:50 p.m.	The Court heard argument on Plaintiffs' Motion to Strike Lanning Non-Infringement
	Opinions on '332 and '557 Patents (Dkt. No. 173), Plaintiffs' Motion to Exclude
	Buehrer's non-infringement opinions on '284 patent (Dkt. No. 176) and on '154
	patent (Dkt. No. 179), and Plaintiffs' Motion to Exclude Non-Infringement opinions
	of Wells on '774 Patent (Dkt. No. 183) and '833 Patent (Dkt. No. 184). Mr. Sheasby
	argued for Plaintiffs. Mr. Selwyn argued for Defendant.
	The Court ruled on the motions in the manner and for the reasons set forth on the
	record at the hearing.
5:34 p.m.	Court adjourned.